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SUBJ: 28TH GA-ITEM 46-REVIEW AND APPRAISAL

1. WORKING GROUP CONSIDERATION PARA 48 ON TRADE POST-
PONED AT U.S. REQUEST FOR CONSULTATIONS BY INFORMAL
GROUP IN CONTEXT AGREED OUTCOME OVER NEGOTIATIONS ON
INDIAN DRAFT RES MTN.

2. EXTENSIVE DEBATE BY WORKING GROUP ON PARA 49
OF SHIPPING RESULTED IN TEXT ESSENTIALLY ALONG LINES
OF UK PROPOSAL BUT CONTAINING DIFFICULT SENTENCE: NEW
REGIME SHOULD FACILITATE AGREEMENTS ON FREIGHT RATES
FAIR TO BOTH SHIPPERS AND CARRIERS. UK, SWEDEN, U.S.
AND OTHERS HAVE REFERRED THIS LANGUAGE TO CAPITALS.
ALTERNATIVE ACCEPTABLE TO WESTERN GOVERN-
MENTS AS PER REPS AT GENEVA LINER CONFERENCE IS TO
SUBSTITUTE "THIS CODE" FOR "NEW REGIME" AND TO SUBSTI-
TUTE "ESTABLISHMENT" FOR "AGREEMENTS". LDC REPS
CONSIDERING THIS ALTERNATIVE AS PROPOSED 22 NOV BY UK
REP AND SUPPORTED BY OTHER WESTERN REPS.

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3. AFTER SEVERAL HOURS EXTENDED DEBATE OF PARA 50

RE AID TARGETS, LARGE INFORMWL WORKING GROUP MET FOR ADDITIONAL SEVERAL HOURS COVERING SAME GROUND WITH NEW CONTROVERSIAL LANGUAGE PROPOSED BY SWEDEN. LATTER DESCRIBED ODA TERMS "OVERRIDING IMPORTANCE SHOULD BE ATTACHED TO THE TARGET OF PROPOSAL DEVELOPMENT ASSISTANCE AS BEING THE MOST ADEQUATE INDICATOR OF THE EFFORTS OF DEVELOPED COUNTRIES AND THUS THE MOST TANGIBLE IMPRESSION OF INTERNATIONAL SOLIDARITY". SWEDES ALSO PROPOSED THAT INTERNATIONAL COMMUNITY AIM AT REDEFINING TARGET ODA NET OF REVERSE FLOW OF INTEREST AND AMORTIZATION. INTEREST AND AMORTIZATION WORDS NOW DELETED AND "CONCRETE" SUBSTITUTED FOR "INDICATOR".

4. PARAS 51, 55, 56 NOW AGREED. PARAS 52-54 DEFERRED AT US SUGGESTION TO FOLLOW AGREEMENT PER YUGOSLAV MONETARY REFORM RESOLUTION. PARA 45 NEEDS FURTHER DISCUSSION IN INFORMAL GROUP. U.S. ADDITION TO PARA 32 SCHEDULED FOR NOV 23 WHEN WORKING GROUP PLANS TWO MEETINGS. SATURDAY SESSION ALSO SCHEDULED.
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